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: METHOD OF PAYMENT BY MEANS OF AN ELECTRONIC COMMUNICATION DEVICE

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AMENDMENT

I hereby certify that this correspondence and any documents referred to as enclosed therewith are being transmitted by facsimile to the Commissioner for Patents on facsimile number (571) 273-8300 on October 31, 2007.

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Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action dated October 18, 2007, please amend the aboveidentified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 7 of this paper.